

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1        1. (Cancelled)

1        2. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 33, wherein displaying the hyperlink  
2        is performed in a browser screen.

1        3. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 33, further comprising associating  
2        the hyperlink with a telephone number of a remote party.

1        4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 33, further comprising:  
2                associating the hyperlink with a logical identifier of a remote party; and  
3                accessing rules information to determine further information to add to the logical  
4        identifier.

1        5. (Original) The method of claim 4, further comprising determining if the call is  
2        local or long distance and adding prefix information if the call is determined to be long distance.

1        6. (Previously Presented) A method of making a call, comprising:  
2                displaying a hyperlink;  
3                receiving an indication of user selection of the hyperlink;  
4                generating a call request based on the indication;  
5                associating the hyperlink with a logical identifier of a remote party;  
6                accessing rules information to determine further information to add to the logical  
7        identifier; and  
8                providing charge information appended to the logical identifier for a toll call  
9        based on accessing the rules information.

1        7. (Cancelled)

1           8. (Previously Presented) A method of making a call, comprising:  
2           displaying a hyperlink;  
3           receiving an indication of user selection of the hyperlink; and  
4           generating a call request based on the indication,  
5           wherein displaying the hyperlink comprises displaying a hyperlink associated  
6           with a uniform resource locator,  
7           wherein the uniform resource locator contains a telephone number.

1           9. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 8, wherein displaying the hyperlink  
2           comprises displaying a hyperlink associated with a uniform resource locator having a protocol  
3           identifier and a string representing a logical identifier of a callee.

1           10. (Original) The method of claim 9, wherein the logical identifier comprises a  
2           telephone number.

1           11. (Original) The method of claim 9, wherein the protocol identifier comprises a  
2           predetermined identifier to identify the uniform resource locator as a telephony-related uniform  
3           resource locator.

1           12. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 33, further comprising copying the  
2           hyperlink from a first storage location accessible by a browser to a second storage location  
3           accessible by another application routine.

1           13. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 33, wherein establishing the call  
2           session comprises establishing a call session with a remote terminal.

1        14. (Previously Presented) A device capable of participating in call sessions over a  
2 data network, comprising:  
3            a display;  
4            a hyperlink presentable in the display and selectable by a user; and  
5            a controller to generate a call request in response to selection of the hyperlink, the  
6 call request comprising a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) message.

1        15. (Original) The device of claim 14, further comprising a storage device containing  
2 call rules, the controller to access the call rules to determine how the call request is to be  
3 generated.

1        16. (Original) The device of claim 15, the controller to determine if the call request is  
2 a local call or a toll call based on the call rules.

1        17. (Original) The device of claim 15, the controller to add one or more special  
2 characters to provide a function based on the call rules.

1        18. (Previously Presented) A device capable of participating in call sessions over a  
2 data network, comprising:  
3            a display;  
4            a hyperlink presentable in the display and selectable by a user;  
5            a controller to generate a call request in response to selection of the hyperlink; and  
6            a storage device containing call rules, the controller to access the call rules to  
7 determine how the call request is to be generated,  
8            the controller to add one or more special characters to provide a function based on  
9 the call rules,  
10            wherein the function is selected from the group consisting of disabling call  
11 waiting, inserting a pause, and navigating an automated attendant.

1        19. (Previously Presented) A device capable of participating in call sessions over a  
2 data network, comprising:  
3            a display;  
4            a hyperlink presentable in the display and selectable by a user;  
5            a controller to generate a call request in response to selection of the hyperlink; and  
6            a storage device containing call rules, the controller to access the call rules to  
7 determine how the call request is to be generated,  
8            the controller to add charge information to a call request based on the call rules.

1        20. (Original) The device of claim 14, wherein the hyperlink is presentable in a  
2 browser screen in the display.

1        21. (Original) The device of claim 14, wherein the hyperlink is associated with a  
2 label that is presentable in the display and a uniform resource locator that is contained in the call  
3 request.

1        22. (Currently Amended) A device capable of participating in call sessions over a  
2 data network, comprising:  
3            a display;  
4            a hyperlink presentable in the display and selectable by a user; and  
5            a controller to generate a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) call request in response  
6 to selection of the hyperlink, the SIP call request for establishing a call session over the data  
7 network,  
8            wherein the hyperlink is associated with a uniform resource locator containing a  
9 logical identifier of a callee, the logical identifier being contained in the SIP call request.

1        23. (Original) The device of claim 22, wherein the uniform resource locator further  
2 contains a predetermined protocol identifier to identify the uniform resource locator as a  
3 telephony-based uniform resource locator.

1           24. (Cancelled)

1           25. (Previously Presented) The article of claim 35, wherein the instructions when  
2    executed cause the device to receive the uniform resource locator associated with a  
3    predetermined telephony protocol identifier.

1           26. (Previously Presented) The article of claim 35, wherein the instructions when  
2    executed cause the device to present the hyperlink in a browser screen.

1           27. (Cancelled)

1           28. (Previously Presented) The article of claim 35, wherein the instructions when  
2    executed cause the device to copy the hyperlink from a first storage location accessible by a first  
3    application routine to a second storage location accessible by a second application routine.

1           29. (Currently Amended) A data signal embodied in a carrier wave and containing  
2    instructions that when executed cause a terminal to:

3                receive selection of a hyperlink associated with a label that is displayed by the  
4    terminal and a uniform resource locator; and

5                generate a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) call request for establishing a call  
6    session over a data network, the SIP call request containing a callee identifier contained in the  
7    uniform resource locator.

1       30. (Currently Amended) A device capable of participating in call sessions over a  
2 packet-based data network, comprising:  
3           a display;  
4           a storage device to store hyperlinks associated with identifiers of callees;  
5           a controller; and  
6           a routine executable on the controller to present at least one of the hyperlinks on  
7 the display and to generate a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) call request to establish a call  
8 session over the packet-based data network in response to selection of the at least one hyperlink.

1       31. (Original) The device of claim 30, further comprising an telephone directory  
2 routine executable on the controller, the telephone directory routine to add the hyperlink to an  
3 address directory.

1       32. (Original) The device of claim 30, further comprising an electronic mail routine  
2 executable on the controller, the electronic mail routine to add the hyperlink to a message.

1       33. (Previously Presented) A method of making a call, comprising:  
2           displaying, in a display of a terminal, a hyperlink;  
3           receiving, by the terminal, an indication of user selection of the hyperlink;  
4           generating, by the terminal, a call request for establishing a call session over a  
5 packet-based network based on the indication;  
6           sending, by the terminal, the call request over the packet-based network;  
7           communicating, by the terminal, voice data over the packet-based network in the  
8 call session,  
9           wherein communicating the voice data over the packet-based network comprises  
10 communicating the voice data over an Internet Protocol network.

1       34. (Cancelled)

1       35. (Previously Presented) An article comprising one or more storage media  
2 containing instructions that when executed cause a device to:  
3            present a hyperlink in a display of the device;  
4            receive an indication of selection of the hyperlink;  
5            receive a uniform resource locator associated with the hyperlink; and  
6            generate a call request containing information in the uniform resource locator, the  
7 call request to establish a call session over a packet-based network,  
8            wherein generating the call request comprises generating a Session Initiation  
9 Protocol message.

1       36. (Cancelled)

1       37. (Previously Presented) The device of claim 30, wherein the routine comprises a  
2 Session Initiation Protocol stack.

1       38. (Previously Presented) The device of claim 30, further comprising an Internet  
2 Protocol layer to communicate data in the call session.

1       39. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 33, wherein sending the call request  
2 comprises sending, by the terminal, a Session Initiation Protocol call request over the packet-  
3 based network.

1       40. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 8, wherein generating the call  
2 request comprises generating a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) call request, the SIP call request  
3 containing the telephone number in the uniform resource locator.

1       41. (Currently Amended) The device of claim 19, wherein the generated call request  
2 comprises a Session Initiation Protocol call request.

1       42. (Cancelled)